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# GENERAL AND REVENUE SECRETARIAT

Serial Nos. 1 to 5

Part B for Oct 52

SUBJECT

Supply of half a dozen Harpala Sculptures for the Indian museum at Calcutta

To

The Dr of Archy

No. E. 9676 | d-21-1-52.

WD 010861—GPB—25,000—18-9-50.

Archy

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Letter No. 425, dated 4.10.1951 from the Director of Archy. in Mysore re: supply of a dozen sculptures to the Indian Museum at Calcutta.

1) The Director of Archy. states that a number of mutilated sculptures of the Hoysala period are found lying neglected in many places within the State and requests sanction for selection and supply of a dozen sculptures to the Indian Museum, Calcutta subject to the condition that the Indian Museum will supply on exchange basis a typical collection of sculptures or other antiquities in their possession.

2) The proposal of the Director of Archy. is for orders. 3/ Where is the letter of the Supdt Mysore Archaeological Section? Where from does the Supdt Mysore Archaeology collect? What is the financial implication and who is to meet it?

KRS
24.10.1951.

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Archy.

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supply of sculptures to the Indian Museum, Calcutta

4) Draft calling for the information from the Dir. of Archy submitted for approval.

KPRG
30.10.1957

5) Done
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To,

The Director of Archy

No. E. 7124. dated 6.11.57

Enquiries in terms of para 3 supra.

Letter no. 554. dated 20.11.57 from the Director of Archy. in the matter.

6) The Director of Archaeology states that the sculptures (will be selected from among the stray sculptures available in Hassan, Chickmagalur and Mandya dists. The cost amounting to about Rs. 1000/- required for collecting packing and transporting the sculptures

Archy.

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E.I.

Supply of Hoysala sculptures to the Indian Museum, Calcutta.

will be met by the Indian Museum. Copies of letters received from the authorities of the Indian Museum are also furnished for reference

1) Subject with reference to para 3 supra.

KAS 19.12.'51 3) Govt. Govt will not incur any expenditure on this account. The proposal of the Director of Archaeology may be approved

Lsg Sec) 19.12

4) Hon LSG) 19/12

10) 2H/12/51 19.12

21.12

OFFICE OF
THE MINISTER FOR
LOCAL SELF-GOVERNMENT.
No. 4946
Date 20.12.51

11) Draft Rules for approval

KAS - For kind perusal before issue
31.12.1951.

Lsg Sec) 31.12

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Arch. 9-51. Supply of Hoysala Sculptures # 5-36/E/6
to Indian Museum, Calcutta.

The Director of Archaeology
Letter no. E 9676/51 21.1.52
permits to send Hoysala
sculptures to Indian Museum Calcutta

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C. F. No. 46]

**GOVERNMENT OF MYSORE**

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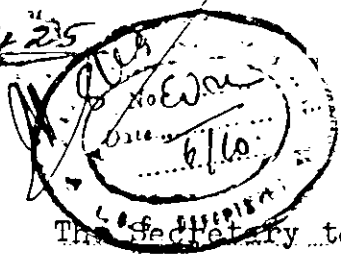

OFFICE OF The Director of Archaeology, Mysore.

Date 4th October 1951.

3916/E

The Secretary to Government,
Local Self-Government Department, BANGALORE.

Sir,

I write to state that the Superintendent, Archaeological Section, Indian Museum, Calcutta, has requested that about half a dozen typical original examples of Hoysala sculpture may be supplied to him for being displayed in the sculpture gallery of the Indian Museum, Calcutta. The Indian Museum happens to be one of the foremost museums in India wherein specimens of Hoysala art from Mysore may be displayed with advantage. A number of mutilated sculptures of the Hoysala period are found lying neglected in many places within the state.

In the circumstances, I request that permission of Government may kindly be accorded for the selection and supply of about half a dozen sculptures to the Indian Museum, Calcutta subject to the condition that the Indian Museum, Calcutta would spare a typical collection of sculptures or other antiquities

in their possession for display in the museums of the Mysore State in exchange.

I solicit the favour of early orders in the matter.

Yours faithfully,

Director I/C.

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H.S. App. F. G. 3.

GENERAL AND REVENUE SECRETARIAT

(*Continuation sheet draft form*).

No. E. 7124/ 0.6.11.37

To.

The Dy. Supdt of Archy
in Mysore. Mysore.

Subject Supply of a dozen sculptures to the Indian Museum at Calcutta.

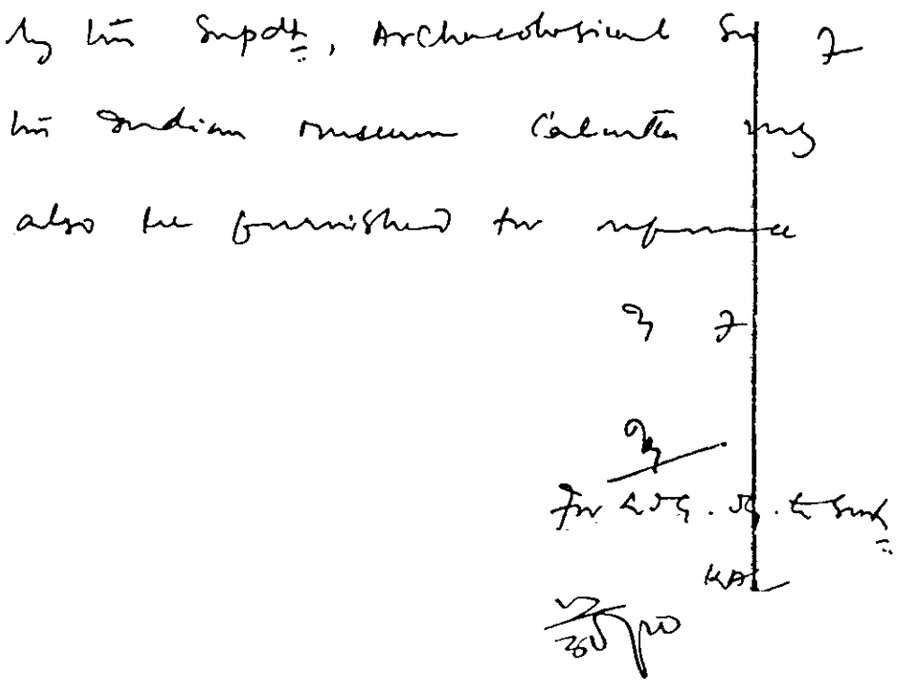
Sir,

With reference to your letter No. 425, dated 4.10.37 on the above subject, I am directed to request you to be so good as to furnish information on the following points:-

i) the area from which the sculptures are proposed to be collected;

ii) the financial implications of the proposal and who should meet the cost.

A copy of the letter, written



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22/11/51

OFFICE OF The Director of Archaeology,
Mysore.

Date. 19th November 1951.
20th

To The Secretary to the Government of Mysore
Local Self-Government Department
BANGALORE.

Arch 8-51-1

Subject: Supply of half a dozen Hoysala sculptures to the Indian Museum at Calcutta.

With reference to your letter No.E.7124 dated 6-11-1951 on the above subject, I write to state that the sculptures of the Hoysala period are found in abundance in parts of the Hassan, Chikmagalur and Mandya Districts. As I have already submitted in my letter No.425 dated 4th October 1951 the sculptures that can be spared to the Indian Museum, Calcutta have to be selected from amongst the stray sculptures that may be lying loose exposed to sun and rain in a neglected condition near dilapidated monuments or on ancient sites. The cost of collecting, packing, transportation, etc., of about half a dozen sculptures may come to about Rs.1000/- and the Superintendent, Archaeological Section, Indian Museum, has intimated that this expenditure would be met by the Indian Museum. Copies of the letters received from

the Superintendent, Archaeological Section, Indian and Hon.Secretary,Board of Trustees,Ind.Mus-
Museum, Calcutta/~~xx~~ are enclosed herewith for your kind information.

Yours faithfully,

Director of Archaeology I/C.

20/11

RKN.

Copy of letter No.1346/T/43-50 dated 22nd February 1950 from the Ag.Honorary Secretary to the Trustees, Indian Museum, Calcutta, to the Director of Archaeology in Mysore, Mysore.

With reference to your letter No.788 dated the 23rd January 1951 to the address of Sri C.Sivaramamurthi, M.A., Superintendent, Archaeological Section, Indian Museum, Calcutta regarding acquisition of some Hoysala sculptures for the Indian Museum, Calcutta, I am directed by the Trustees of the Indian Museum to convey their thanks to you for kindly agreeing to arrange to make the sculptures available for the Indian Museum. At the request of the Superintendent, Archaeological Section, the Trustees had approached the Government of India to provide a special grant of Rs.1000/- to be utilised for transport and other necessary expenditure required to be incurred for packing and despatch etc. of the sculptures in question and the Director General of Archaeology in India has now informed the Trustees that he has arranged for the amount to be made available, which should be utilised within the current financial year with an account rendered with all the vouchers by the 15th of March 1951. Under the circumstances, I would request you kindly to obtain the

necessary sanction of the Mysore Government to the prepentation of the exhibits to the Indian Museum and arrange ~~it~~ in consultation with the Superintendent of the Archaeological Section. Indian Museum. for the despatch of the exhibits at an early date so that the amount provided by the Government may not lapse.

This may kindly be treated as most urgent.

"Copy"

RKN.

Director of Archaeology I/C.

20/4/57

D.O.

Extract from/letter No.29/89 dated 2nd February 1950 from Sri C.Sivaramamurti, M.A., Superintendent, Archaeological Section, Indian Museum, Calcutta, to ~~the~~ Sri L.Narasimhachar, M.A., Director of Archaeology, Mysore.

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I shall be most grateful to have a few good typical original examples of Hoysala sculpture as you promised. I leave the choice to you. The packing charges, railway freight etc. will be met by us if you can let me know what it may cost.

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"Extract"

RKN.

Director of Archaeology ~~D/C~~.

G. App. F. G. 3.

GENERAL AND REVENUE SECRETARIAT

(*Continuation sheet draft form*).

Arch 8-57-2
E 9676/D-21-1-52
7- 10/2/53

To.

The Director of Archs
in Mysore. Bangalore.

Subject:- Supply of a dozen
Hoysala Sculptures
to the Indian Museum
at Calcutta

Sir,

With reference to
correspondence ending with
your letter No 554. dated
20.11.1952 on the above
subject, I am directed
to convey approval to
your proposal for -
supplying a dozen
Hoysala sculptures to
the Indian Museum,
Calcutta, the cost ~~of~~ on account of
collecting, packing, transportation etc
~~this account~~ being
borne by the Indian Museum
~~sanctioning~~.

Yours

Yours faithfully,

KAS

for Secy. to Govt

WD 06819—GPB—25,000—26-7-49

GOVERNMENT OF MYSORE.

General and Revenue Secretariat,

No. E 9676 Bangalore, Dated 21.1.1952

FROM

THE SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT,
~~Education Department.~~
K54

To The Director of Archaeology in Mysore,
Bangalore.
Mysore

SIR,

Subject:- Supply of a dozen Hoysala Sculptors to the Indian Museum at Calcutta.

With reference to correspondence ending with your letter No.554 dated 20th November 1951 on the above subject I am directed to convey approval to your proposal for supplying a dozen Hoysala sculptures to the Indian Museum, Calcutta, the cost on account of collecting, packing, transportation, etc., being met by the Indian Museum.

Yours faithfully,

(M.H. Parthasarathy)
For Secretary to Government,
Education Department.
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